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For: **"IMPROVED METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LOCKING  
CHARGES INTO A CHARGE HOLDER"**

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Washington, D. C. 20231

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